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WALLACE GRUELLE, Editor.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1879.

BLAINE, of Maine, is a bumble-bee with the sting extracted. All he can do is buzz.

JOE MULHATTAN has gone to writing verses. We had no suspicion that be was a tuneful liar.

THE Owingsville appellate convention, in nominating Hargis, insures a Radical successor to Judge Elliott.

"GRANT drinks beer." Ahn! then the crown he is after is that of King Gambrinus, whose kingdom is located in Dutch bellies.

DITTOE, of the Newport Local, pretends that he is being transformed into a female. We'll wager that he is fixing up a joke on It has both United States Senators, a dis-Martha.

Burrows, of its State, a fool. That is placing rather a high valuation on the fellow's intellect. A REPUBLICAN exchange accuses us of

designating Senator Hoar an ass. We did nothing of the kind. We have never rated him above a dankey.

OLD Jane Grey Swisshelm is babbling highly spiced stories of her own amorous Bluegrass luck that attended and gratified youth, thinly disguised as the experiences of young slave-girls.

It looks as if the young man who wants to marry the daughter of a rich old codger, has a dead sure thing of it when he hires himself as a coachman to the girl's father.

EMMETT LOGAN intimates that the Commercial's Grove Kennedy story (to be found on our fourth page) is false. Dittoe asserts its truth. Thus another irrepressible conflict is thrust upon the country.

THE Ohio County News thinks that Grant "throttled the Confederate Republic." We always thought that it was the United States courts he throttled, in order to save it as any. Our plan is this: his Whisky Ring partners from the peniten-

Money's (of the Cynthiana News) pet name for the Radical Congressmen is "skunks." He, probably, has examined the acts of the several Radical Congresses found that the tail of the varmint is over them all.

Conkling, of New York, is composed of equal parts of vanity and pretension. He woodpecker, the showlest thing about him is his head. If he had a tail he could spread he would be a peacock.

WHENEVERJohn A. Logan reads a speech from manuscript you find the grammar correct, for his wife wrote it. But when he speaks off-hand, then the skeleton of Lindley Murray grits its teeth, and the several parts of speech think of holding a mass indignation meeting.

THE whole thing lies in a nutshell. Shall we have free, untrainmeled elections? and shall we have unawed courts and impartial juries? The Democrats answer, Yes. The Republicans answer, No. The first offer us liberty, the others threaten us with slavery. Choose ye between them, O people!

Survose three men are standing each at the corner of a triangle, and one of them fires at one of the others and misses him, is it possible for his bullet to kill the third one, who occupies an opposite corner of the triangle? A Harrison county jury, the other day, decided that Clay Magee killed Jason Metealfe in exactly that manner.

THE Nelson Record degrades itself stooping to controversy with the Louisville Post. That vile sheet bears about the same relation to the decent papers of Louisville that the Lafayette-street demirep does to the respectable ladies of that city. Its villifica-BRECKINGINGE NEWS is the highest compliment it could pay us all.

Tux Burlington Hawkeye-and all the calls Gen. Chalmers "the butcher of Fort Pillow." When Gen. Forrest was alive, he was the butcher. Should Chalmers die, somebody else will be saddled with this imaginary butchery. The reason these kind of Republican lies wear so well, is that they State. are made of gum-elastic, and fit one Southern man as well as another. Consequently they are always serviceable.

On, yes; certainly. "Every Republican Senator and Representative have said they would cheerfully vote for the repeal of the law authorizing the employment of troops at the polls if the Democrats would offer the proposition as an independent measure, instead or a rider to an appropriation bill." So they did, every man of them. And yet, when Senator Bayard, taking them at their word, introduced a separate bill repealing the obnoxious law, every man-jack of them in the Senate promptly and unhesitatingly antagonized his measure You see, the only way to arrive at the true inwardness of a Republican Congressman's intention. is to interpret his declaration as you would an Irishman's dream.

TO A GIRL FRIEND.

When Fate writes its decrees in star-words, allver-bright, Upon the bending heavens in the mid hour

When the world is dreaming, and birds sleep in the tree: When the pinc-tree's tenor and deep base

of the sea Mingle on the night-wind in wondrous har-I look upon the star-scroll and read the weird

of thee I rend of beaming beauty's lissom form and

laughing eye: I read of radiant heart-dreams, sweetly born to swiftly die

Of lips meeting in kisses, of hopes that bud and bloom

Like blossoms of the graveyard to perish on a tomb; I read of years on-coming, bringing both joy

and roth: read the in memorium of dead and buried youth.

read of joys far greater than any you have known

Of pleasures purer, sweeter, than any that have flown: Of a fair home-kingdom, where Love's sway

is supreme. Where life is smooth and tranquil as the current of a dream,

With children's merry prattle and a motherlove serene And loving hearts for subjects and you their

WALLACE GRUELLE.

THE WAY TO REMEDY IT.

The complaint of the Covington Commonwealth that the small section of the State known as the Bluegrass region gets all the prominent offices is only too well grounded. Treasurer, and the Superintendent of Public Instruction. Yet, true as this is, all of these men of Bluegrassdom were nominated by a Democratic State Convention-except the Secretary of State, who holds an appointive office-composed of delegates from every portion of the State, whose votes unquestionably conferred the nominations upon them. Therefore it must have been pure their aspirations for position, and we see no | the buggy. reasonable excuse for raising a sectional score. At the same time, we believe that the offices could be equitably apportioned between the several sections of the State, in a manner that would prove acceptable to For some time we have seriously thought of fight as yet. presenting a plan to the Democracy which would not only bring about this desirable result, but would have the better effect of putting a stop to the chase of offices and nominations so reprehensibly indulged in

of late by candidates for State offices, and

now appears about as good a time to offer

Let the State be divided into three districts, the territory west of the Green River to comprise the first; the territory between the Green and Kentucky rivers to comprise the second and the section east of the Ken-Let the Democracy of the first district select from its ranks the candidate for Governor and Register, of the second district those for Lieutenant Governor and Auditor, is neither a fool nor a wise man. Like the and of the third district those for Treasurer and Superintendent. At the next election advance the Governer and Register to the and Auditor to the third district, and the Treasurer and Superintendent of Public Inmeans each section would have an equal chance in the order of rotation named, and no man could have just and reasonable grounds of complaint. Each district could make its nominations in any manner it considered best, and report the results to the State Central Committee, whose duty, it should be to proclaim the ticket nominated in this manner as the choice of the Democ- holds them subject to their order. racy of the State.

Oua good friends of the Covington Commonwealth demand that Kenton county shall be recognized on the State ticket While Kenton contains many gentlemen who would adorn any position on the ticket, still we do not think that she has as good cause for complaint as a great many-in fact, a large majority-of the best Democratic counties in the State. The second Governor back (Stevenson) was from Kenton, and he left the gubernatorial chair for a scat in the United States Senate. The first Lieutenant-Governor back (Carlisle) was from Kenton, and he is now a member of Congress. Thus we see that Kenton county, inside of a dozen years, furnished us with a Governor, a Lieutenant-Governor, tion of Dr. Henderson, and abuse of the a United States Senator, and a member of Frankfort Yeoman, Nelson Record, and Congress. That, we think, ought to satisfy her for the present, particularly since here is the entire State west and south of Glassince Lazarus Powell's day, and but one other Republican papers, for that matter- Lieutenant-Governor in twenty-five years, The Attorney-General's is the only State office that has gone west of the Green river for many years, and yet western Kentucky contains as many brilliant, able and competent men as any other portion of the

> THE Ohio County News is working itself into a passion without particular cause over Southern massacres, and must qualify its assertion that the leaders and inciters of those massacres have never been punished, if it would be truthful as well as indignant. We remember one of these slaughterings that occurred in Louisiana-the worst and bloodiest of them all-by a gang of cutthroats under the lead of one Wharton-Colonel Jack Wharton, sah. After murdering as many negroes in Tensas parish as he wanted to, he fled to New Orleans and proclaimed his adhesion to the Republican party. As the Tensas massacre occurred in the nick of time to elect Grant in 1868, that official, whon he assumed the reins of government, felt called upon to bring Master Jack to book for his wholesale murders, which he did, very severely, by conferring

on him one of the fattest offices in his gift. on him one of the fattest offices in his gift. F. FRAIZE. had not been sufficiently punished, again crushed the poor devil into the dust with the weight of another fat office. Let not the News lay its hand upon its patent heart and say now that not one of the Southern mur derers was ever punished.

HARDINSBURG.

There's no fish in the Duck Pond. Come on, boys, with your independent candidate. We have a nominee that can

Brown Helm, of Union Star, was in town last Friday.

There's a fishing party off this week, for few days' camp at Hardin's Creek. Mrs. Louisa Gregory, wife of W. H.

Gregory, died last Monday, at a quarter past eleven o'clock, a.s., of consumption. There are sixty-seven children on one street in this place.

One interesting feature in our Literary Society, is the addresses by the members of the legal fraternity. They are always present to say something good. For the benefit of that old maid at Cloverport, we will say that it is not connected with the Mite Society. That is a separate meeting, and

doing a good business of its own. That old maid at Cloverport says, "we are all intelligent." Truly you are, and we love you the better for it. As to this thing of marrying, she says its too risky. Aye, that's well said. But we would like to know how in the deuce you know so much about it, if you never had a chance to take any,

The town is dull since court adjourned. Rev. W. W. Lambuth, who has been quite ill, is able to be out again.

Mr. J. D. Beeler, of the firm of Beard & Beeler, thinks of quitting the mercantile business, and moving to the country. He tance of only thirty-two miles separating owns one of the best farms in Breckenridge, their homes; it has the present Governor, upon which he is building a fine residence, A Michigan paper calls Representative the Secretary of State, the Auditor, the and will remove as soon as it is completed.

BEWLEYVILLE.

Sunday exercises-pitching horse-shoes and playing croquet.

Say, you gunners; let the birds light! Miss Mattie Lewis is visiting friends and relatives near Bewleyville.

Cale, before you take that fair blonds out riding again, put a few rocks in her side of That "ham man" is still going out to see

ruction with the Bluegrass Nation on that the little dogs. We hope he will get enough of them soon Harve said he was going to whip some

one if he found out any thing about that pup and ham story. So somebody said; all hands, and not injure the public service. but we have not heard any thing of the Watch out, Miss Minnie, Mr. Bennie is

thinking a little too much of Miss Annie

On Piegah's heights he stands, And casts a westful eye To Frankfort's fair and happy land,

He don't want any bridges, And county roads but few; He'll pocket all the money, And Breckenridge county too.

A SERENADE.-A serenade was given to Mr. Robert Cross, an old citizen of this county, by his near and intimate friends, tucky to comprise the third. Let the State Mr. Campbell and Dr. James Anderson, St. their excellent musical talent and dexterity in the handling of their several instruments,) went to the quiet residence of Mr. Cross on the evening of the 18th of April, it being his birthday, to celebrate the same and show their appreciation of the old gent. It was his 58th birthday. It was at the second district, the Lieutenant-Governor hours of 11 o'clock when the two troubadoors, with their favorite instruments-the horse-fiddle of Dr. Anderson and the dumbstruction to the first district. By this bull of Jerry Campbell. The instruments opened their discord with Will Hays' Drummer Boy of Shiloh." They concluded with the parody, "If I can skeedadde, I am going home again." They were unexpectedly received by the host. It was an old musket, but the musicians concluded to leave their instruments until the weather was more favorable. Mr. Cross

Your Joe John is coming, Virge, That is a certain thing; You had better go slow on Burn's poems, And keep an eye on Big Spring.

MT. ZION.

Vive, Vale,

It is now the middle of April, and not peach bloom in the neighborhood.

The apple and cherry trees are full of bloom, and if we have no more frost we expeet an abundant crop.

A great many tobacco plants have been destroyed in the crook by the late freezes, and the farmers are sewing their beds over, although it is late.

Wheat is looking well, and if nothing happens to it we expect a heavy crop, as there an unusual large crop on the ground. We are expecting a good crop in general, as is usual after a hard winter. Entertaining this idea, we are losing no time, and gow which has not had the Governorship hope to be rewarded for our labor in a rich

> of Big Spring, Meade county, have moved burg, Ky. Mr. A. V. Moorman and lady, formerly uto our midst, and are repairing in such a manner as to make an old farm bouse look like a new one. Come on, several more

Boss C-, do not spill your milk any more on the carpet at Mr. S--'s. They John M-, take better hold on the plate

of biscuit, or Mrs. - will have to keep the girls in the parlor,

We are making an effort to get a postflice in the neighborhood, midway between Hardinsburg and McDaniel's, at V. Butler's on the Leitefield route. Success. Then, Mr. Editor, you may expect several new subscribers, as several are promised.

It is rumored here-abouts that C. A. S -. of McDaniels, has taken his Beard off since the primary election, and has taken a deep cold, settling on his appetite, and the doctor has prescribed tree molasses. Oh! doctor, some more of us have taken cold.

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suffering, and why hesitate? Dr. Drom

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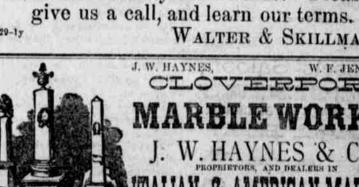
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